

## **Special IHCDA Info**

The Indiana Housing and Community
Development Authority (IHCDA), chaired by Lt.
Governor Sue Ellspermann, creates housing
opportunity, generates and preserves assets,
and revitalizes neighborhoods by investing
financial and technical resources in the

development efforts of qualified partners throughout Indiana. Growing Indiana's economy starts at home.

## 2014 Conference Content Feedback

## Tell us what you want to see, hear & present!

The Indiana Association for Community Economic Development (IACED) and the Indiana Housing and Community Development Authority (IHCDA) are already hard at work planning the 2014 Statewide Conference on Community Economic Development, which is set to take place September 30th & October 1st once again at the Marriott Indianapolis East (located off of 21st and Shadeland).

This is the tenth year for IACED and IHCDA to co-host the Statewide Conference on Housing and Community Economic Development. This partnership has proven fruitful by teaching the technical skills necessary to engage in community economic development work, and by supporting a culture of adaptive learning through the relationships participants build as a result of this conference and shared work.

This year's conference theme is **EMPOWER: Cultivating Prosperity for Indiana Communities.** The conference tracks are designed to reach out to both place-based and direct service organizations, while emphasizing building on organizational capacity and advocacy efforts:

- 1) Exercising Leadership: What you need to know to succeed
- 2) Changing Policy: What you need to know to adapt
- 3) Transforming Lives: What you need to know to serve
- 4) Transforming Communities: What you need to know to build

The purpose of this <u>brief survey</u> is to gauge the interests of potential attendees of the 2014 Indiana Statewide Conference on Housing and Community Economic Development.

This survey will take no longer than 5 to 10 minutes to complete and your response is requested on or before <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>April 2nd</u>.

If the hyperlink above does not work, you can also copy and paste the following link into your browser: <a href="https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/HNSY5XW">https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/HNSY5XW</a>.

A request for conference proposals informed by the feedback from this survey will be disseminated shortly.

Questions regarding the survey can be directed to <u>Rebecca Nannery</u>, IHCDA Research Analyst.

For more information on IHCDA please visit <u>www.ihcda.in.gov</u> or <u>www.in.gov/myihcda</u>.

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